

## STATE HIGHWAY COMES TO US

### Commission Orders Survey From Hayward to San Jose.

Washington Township is to have a State Highway. The announcement was made Thursday that among other routes determined upon is the eastern end of the Wishbone Route from Hayward to San Jose. The survey has been ordered by the State Highway commission. This is the direct fruit of the work initiated by the Associated Chambers of Commerce several months ago which finally won the backing of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce and the Board of Supervisors.

The route is practically decided upon from Hayward to Niles. It will follow the Mountain road. From Niles to San Jose the route is yet to be determined but it is believed it will pass through Irvington and it may pass through Mission San Jose.

The adoption of this route by the State the building of a \$75,000 concrete bridge at Niles, and the construction of the road through Niles Canyon all point to Niles as an important point in the future development of this section.

## Niles Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Z. A. Riggs, Mrs. Phoebe Riggs and Mrs. Staus, of Los Gatos came to Niles on Sunday last by automobile, and called on friends here.

Mrs. Walter Newman of Oakland came up for the Dickens reception of the Country Club and her husband came up for the week-end to be the guest of Mrs. Newman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Hudson.

Mr. John Crothers of Eureka came down recently on a business trip to San Francisco and spent a couple of days at the family home in Niles.

Miss Winnifred Jones of Hayward a niece of Rev. F. V. Jones, is looking after household affairs at the parsonage during Mrs. Jones' absence at the Alameda Sanitarium.

Mr. Mayhew and Mr. Bedard went to Pleasanton last Saturday to witness the races held at the track by the Pleasanton Chamber of Commerce.

Many tickets are being sold and a generous attendance is looked for at the whist tournament to be held in Odd Fellows Hall this (Friday) evening by Laura Loma Parlor N. D. G. W. of Niles. A pleasant evening is promised all who are present.

Mr. Manuel Borges has had dug up the portion of his office set to pear trees on the former Fogsg place. The old house has been sold to Mr. Rose and has been moved to his lot on Third street next to the lumber yard.

The Ladies Guild met in their parlors at the Congregational church on Wednesday afternoon. Twenty ladies were in attendance. Mrs. Hudson Vice Pres. took charge of the meeting in Mrs. Ellsworth's absence. Miss Elsie Stoltz was appointed to decorate the church during the month of May. Mrs. Hudson entertaining served sandwiches and tea before adjournment. The next meeting will follow in two weeks.

Prices for early peas and potatoes are still high with plenty of buyers. G. O. Darrow this week received a 30 horse power Maxwell Mercury through Oliver and Crane, agents at Niles for the Maxwell car. It certainly is a beauty.

The Essanay Film Company are making rapid progress in the building of their bungalows on Second St. Miss M. E. De Cora has added a neat wire fence about her cottage on H street.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morgan arrived on Thursday from Los Angeles en route to Vacaville where Mr. Morgan will still be with the Panama Tea Company.

Mrs. O. Walpert and little daughter May returned on Tuesday from a visit with their relatives in Hayward.

## Baseball Gossip.

Township League standing:		
Won	Lost	Pct.
Newark.....1.....0.....1.000		
Niles.....1.....0.....1.000		
Decoto.....0.....1......000		
Irvington.....0.....1......000		

Newark opened up the season on their home grounds by defeating the Irvington club to the tune of 11 to 7. A large crowd turned out to witness the game. The doings were somewhat livened up by two home runs, one by T. Perry of Irvington and the other by T. Costa of Newark. The same two teams will oppose each other at Irvington this Sunday.

Batteries—Newark, T. Toole and R. Costa and Wales; Irvington, Sheean and Williams.

Niles defeated the Decoto team on the Niles grounds last Sunday in the opening of the league season by a score of 7 to 6. Decoto led for several innings but was finally beaten by Niles. Tracy, who pitched for Decoto, was a trifle wild. A home run over the railroad track beyond the left field fence by Larsen was a feature of the game. Wilson for Niles pitched steady ball.

Batteries—Niles, Wilson and Richards; Decoto, Tracy and Mello.

The Niles Juniors met the Nursery team in a game of baseball on the school grounds on Wednesday afternoon.

The game was a good one showing that the future teams will have some very good material to select from. The Juniors beat the game with a score of 5 to 5. The following is the line up:

Niles			Nursery		
F. Roderiques	P	W. Silva	R. Brunelli	C	J. Alameda
G. Crane	1st	J. Cambria	E. Sullivan	2nd	C. Rose
W. Sullivan	3rd	W. Oliveira	J. Roderiques	S. S.	A. Coates
E. Brunelli	L. F.	W. Alameda	H. Gibson	R. F.	

What might be called an international ball game was played on the Decoto diamond last Sunday, when the Decoto second team met the Japanese team from Alvarado. The little brown men came splendidly arrayed in baseball costume of the latest pattern with all the most approved appliances in the way of gloves, protectors, etc. The Japs are a husky bunch of little fellows and played at the game with the same spirit that led them to victory at Mukden. The only trouble was they had not grown up with the Great American game and were somewhat at a disadvantage. The ball would persist in getting through their fingers and past their bats. They tried hard however, and with considerable practice may yet evolve into the real American stuff. The score at the close stood 42 to 4 in favor of the Decoto Boys, the four runs being scored in a wild throw to third. The Jap pitcher was driven from the box in the first inning nine runs being scored by the Decoto's. Larson was then put in the box by them and pitched a fairly good game but lacked support. The Japs scored 25 errors and the Decoto's 3.

Alvarado Jap		Decoto	
S. Morah	T. De Tank	Margarido	Costa
Maruo	Sugamoto	Neves	
Sakaisi	Oshio	F. Pimentel	
Larson	J. Mamura	T. Pimentel	
Kasekigo	G. De Tank	G. De Tank	
Isada	T. Smith	Cunha	

There were 4 districts in Contra Costa that went "wet" and 4 districts in Humboldt that went "dry" this week.

# The Deadly Parallel Column

Sample of anonymous circulars sent out from some well-financed bureau to newspaper offices:—

### MAYOR OF TOPEKA, KANSAS, IS FOR "REGULATION"

"Prohibition in the state of Kansas" says HON. J. B. BILLARD, mayor of Topeka, "is a beautiful theory to expound to the outside world. But I as mayor of the capital of the state of Kansas, know that prohibition in Kansas does not prohibit in practice. Kansas prohibition, pointed to with such pride by temperance lecturers touring the other states, should be called a colossal joke if it were not for the fact that it turns the home into a resort of drunkenness worse than the saloons one sees in 'wet' states. It is, however, a rank failure as far as accomplishing what it sets out to do.

"I am honestly of the opinion that the majority of the people of Kansas today are anxious to eliminate it and have a chance to buy their glass of beer at a saloon instead of shipping it to their homes and their clubs or their picnic grounds in keg lots.

"I think the regulated saloon is the only solution. I know the evils of saloons and how booze can be dispensed in them to the detriment of young and old, but a rigid supervision of saloons in my opinion will do more to prevent drunkenness than the much vaunted prohibition system in Kansas which shuts out the dis-sipated element and forces them to see it come in the home by the keg and case."

There seems to some queer contradiction here. How does it happen? Governor Stubbs explained it, in his Chicago speech, as follows:—

"I came to defend the fair name of Kansas against the slanders of those WHOSE INTEREST IT IS to see our laws violated. The proof which I shall submit to you would be accepted as conclusive evidence before any court in the United States.

"I am anxious to know whether the good people of Chicago are willing to credit the statements of a combination of brewers and saloonkeepers who are SPENDING HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS ANNUALLY to poison public opinion, in preference to the statements of those who are standing up for the American home."

"But here in Chicago and throughout the United States, the brewers, distillers, and saloonkeepers, their attorneys and retainers, are telling in posters, pamphlets, and speeches, that prohibition increases crime in Kansas; that it is making a large crop of perjurers and hypocrites; that it has caused intolerable taxation . . . and so on, through a long list of statements, equally false and absurd.

"These charges are true or they are not true. On my honor as a man and upon my word as the chief executive of nearly two million sovereign people, I say to you they are maliciously false. The saloon men are in desperate straits, and are simply trying to deceive the people."

Now Kansas is a long way off, and evidence is to be had in abundance nearer by as to the prosperity that regularly follows when the terrible drain of the saloon on a community is stopped. But it is not of that we happen to get the FACT and the FICTION, the anonymous circular from the secret source and the official report of the trustworthy governor, so close together. There may have been at some time a real Mayor Billard in Topeka, who may have given to some interviewer the views attributed to him, or something like them. There may not. The organization that gets up and circulates these circulars is not a scrupulous one. But we can assure our readers that if they will write to the Governor of Kansas, or the Mayor of Topeka, they will find the citations in the column to your right of the "DEADLY PARALLEL" are perfectly straight, and represented the overwhelming judgment of Kansas. And then they will be on their guard against similar circulars from the same ORGANIZATION, with which they will be showered in the next three weeks. Remember that these men who circulate them

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Miss M. E. DeCorra, Secty.

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Beer may be had from the brewery, and whiskey and brandy from the distillery, in the same way. You may order, and have it delivered. If there is no factory near enough to deliver to your home, you must go outside the district to buy what you want, and see to getting it home yourself. We can find nothing in the law to forbid you sending it home by freight or express, or ordering by mail and having it sent.

Sections 13, 14, 15 and 16 of the Wylie law cover the whole matter.

MRS. M. P. SCHOFIELD, Pres.  
MISS M. E. DECORA, Secty.

## Saloon License Denied O'Keefe

The Board of Supervisors this week denied the application for a renewal of the saloon license of J. J. O'Keefe of Irvington. The motion to deny the renewal was made by Supervisor Murphy on the ground that the application did not have the necessary six out of the nearest ten signatures.

The hearing was to have been held Monday but was decided at a special meeting of the Board Thursday afternoon after the question of the validity of the signatures had been threshed out quite fully by the District Attorney's office and the members of the Board. The Board and the District Attorney's office maintain it is purely a question of not having the six out of the nearest ten signers. O'Keefe says it is purely a case of political revenge. As O'Keefe is the head of the Township Royal Arch organization the case has attracted more than usual attention.

## Country Club Entertains.

The Dickens Evening given by the Country Club last Friday evening at the I. O. O. F. hall in Niles was a most enjoyable and successful affair. Each member was allowed two invitations for guests, and about one hundred and fifty people were present from different parts of the township. Many of the Club members were in character costume or in the style of dress worn at the time of

Dickens writing. These joined in an opening march about the center of the hall which was followed by vocal selections given by Messrs. H. R. Hunt and R. O. Moyer and Miss Kathryn Dassel. The sketch from David Copperfield was certainly very cleverly acted. Those taking part in this were Mrs. Jacobus as Betsy Trotwood, David's aunt; Mrs. Donovan as Jeanette the maid; Mr. Sneden as Mr. Murdstone, David's step-father; Mrs. Overacker as Miss Murdstone; Mr. Scott as Mr. Dick and Charles Overacker as David Copperfield. The acting was clever, all of the caste being able to bring out his particular part well. Much credit is due to Mesdames Thane and Ford who staged the sketch.

The Nurses Tea Party from Nicholas N'kelby was very funny. Mrs. Bunting as Sally Gamp and Mrs. C. H. Hatch as Sally Brass and Mr. Roile as Sweedelpipes, gave a very excellent reproduction of the customs of the period represented in Dickens' novels.

At the close of the program, members and guests were served with refreshments in the dining room which had been prettily trimmed under the direction of Mrs. Ebberly. Delicious coffee, sandwiches, cakes and ice cream were served by six young ladies in typical costume, under the direction of Mrs. Kirke. The whole evening was one of pleasure as it afforded many neighbors an opportunity for meeting and enjoying the evening together.

## POOLROOM CHANGES HANDS

The poolroom conducted by Darrow and Vincent changed hands this week M. L. Fournier being the new proprietor. Mr. Fournier intends to make a number of changes in the place, giving it a modern equipment in every respect. Mr. Fournier is well and favorably known in the community and intends to conduct the business along lines that will meet with the approval of all.

## Local Option Meeting In Newark, May 1

A Local Option meeting will be held at Watkin's Hall in Newark on Wednesday evening, May 1st, 1912. Good speakers and good music. Be sure to attend!

## CENTERVILLE BONDS CARRY

### \$22,000 Bonds Authorized by Vote of 129 to 10.

The \$22,000 bond issue for Centerville was carried last Saturday by a vote of 129 to 10. In this way did the voters of Centerville place themselves on record as one of the most progressive towns in the township.

As soon as the present school term closes the present buildings will be moved to the front of the school grounds and the work of erecting a new building will be commenced. The building to be erected will be a one story wooden structure with six class rooms, an assembly room, principal's room, teachers' room, etc.

The trustees will endeavor to enlarge the present grounds if possible and when the plans for the new building are carried out Centerville will have one of the best school buildings in this part of Alameda county.

## Water Company After More Land

The purchase of the Hall ranch in Alviso district by the Union Water Co., last week and the reported attempts of the company to secure other large tracts in the section between Alvarado and Newark serve to point out the nature of the big movements under way to secure control of the underground water supply of this township.

The statement is given out that the land is to be cut up into smaller tracts for intensive cultivation but the bonding this week of the 5000 acres recently purchased at Pleasanton by the Spring Valley Co. gives rise to great uneasiness in the township.

The date for the meeting at Centerville has not yet been set as the committee is endeavoring to secure the services of certain speakers whose thorough acquaintance with the subject makes their presence especially desirable.

The only means of protection apparently for our people is an injunction to prevent the water being diverted from the township. It is reasonably certain that this action will be taken.

## Heitmuller-Nauert Wedding

One of the very brightest and prettiest weddings of the year was solemnized at the Nauert home in Alvarado on Wednesday evening. The contracting parties were Miss Oscarina Nauert, daughter of C. H. Nauert, and Mr. Henry Heitmuller of San Francisco. The Rev. Liebe of San Francisco officiated.

The pretty home had been beautifully trimmed with spring blossoms, smilax and ferns. The hall was in purple wisteria and baskets of roses. The reception room was similarly trimmed, its appearance made dazzling and rich with the abundance of gifts in silver, cut glass and china. The living room where the ceremony was performed, was beautiful. In one end of the room was a bower of lattice work of bamboo, twined with smilax and covered with breath of heaven and orange blossoms, dotted with many small electric lights which were turned on as the bride entered. After the ceremony a buffet supper was served after which the bridal pair left for their honeymoon.

Mrs. Elma Salz Allen was Matron of Honor, Miss Mildred Nauert the Maid of Honor, Miss C. Nauert the bridesmaid, Mrs. Edith Nauert, Miss Charlotte Young and Miss Clawiter were Garland Bearers and little Miss Richmond the flower girl. Mr. Heitmuller, the groom's brother acted as best man.

The bride is a charming and accomplished young lady whose friends and admirers are many. The groom is a promising young business man of San Francisco who is general manager of the well known firm of Marwadel Co. The young people were given a very handsome gift by the firm. Upon their return they will live in the city.



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For President  
Robert M. LaFollette

## Why We Have Refused to Desert La Follette.

The Press has kept the name of Robert M. La Follette at the head of its editorial column in spite of the desertion of the State administration. It has been kept for the same reason that the name of Governor Johnson was placed there when his success was doubtful in the extreme. For the same reason that we fought for Governor Johnson in the darkest days of his fight, for the same reason that we stood by Francis J. Heney when he was turned down by an ungrateful city, so we now stand by Robert M. La Follette. His name was placed at the head of our column before the State administration indorsed him, and it will stay there until the Republican national convention names its candidate. After that we can face a watery grave in November if need be.

Why do we support La Follette? Because he stands for the cause of human freedom. Because he has always stood for it and fought for it without ever flinching or wavering, through dark days as well as through prosperous ones. He may not be nominated for president but his influence in the Chicago convention will be for the great masses of our people who are making an unequal fight for human freedom. He deserves the support of every loyal progressive Republican in California. That he is not getting it is the only shame that has come upon the progressive cause in this State.

## Do Not Divide the District.

We hope that the announced intention to divide the Niles School District will not be attempted. If it is, it will prove a source of the deepest regret to all the people before many years have passed. It is decidedly a reactionary movement and entirely opposed to the modern trend in educational affairs. Surely the people who live on the south side of the Creek have been met with the most conciliatory and liberal attitude by the residents of the north side. Every request so far has been granted and there is every desire to be fair. Let us not borrow trouble in advance. If the future should necessitate further school facilities than those now contemplated surely those who live on the south side can reasonably expect every consideration to be shown them.

For the sake of our children, let us keep our district intact and by so doing give them the best educational opportunities that a strong district can afford.

## Helping the "Cause"

Governor Johnson and the progressive leaders who are justifying their switch to Roosevelt because of their devotion to the cause rather than the man must see in the defeat of Jonathan Bourne of Oregon, the chairman of the National Progressive League, a sad effect of the Roosevelt candidacy. Had they remained true to the La Follette candidacy, Bourne would not have been sacrificed.

If Norris of Nebraska has also gone down to defeat, as it seems likely, then another severe blow has been struck at the progressive cause. The turning down of the initiative and referendum by the Illinois State convention does not promise well for the cause to say the least.

It may be that Theodore Roosevelt is the one progressive to carry the cause to a successful fruition but the results so far obtained in the states carried by him, indicate that aside from Roosevelt's personal success the progressive cause has been dealt some very severe blows at the hands of its newly found champions.

Surely the wrecking of the progressive cause seems a dear price to pay even on the altar of expediency.

## The La Follette Revival.

The Springfield Republican, the most conservative and one of the oldest Republican newspapers of the country, has the following to say editorially regarding the candidacy of Senator La Follette:

Not only popular admiration for his tenacity when facing overwhelming odds but popular sympathy accounts not a little for the revival of the La Follette campaign for the Republican Presidential nomination. The public has had a sure insight into the betrayal of the Wisconsin Senator by the Progressives of his party, who at heart were personal followers of Roosevelt. How he was used as a stalking horse by the Pinchots, the little Governors and the insurgent editors up and down the land, until they thought there was no life left in him, has become a matter of current history. His temporary nervous breakdown at Philadelphia was the signal for the wholesale desertion of the Senator's cause, and with shouts of exultation these treacherous friends began trumpeting the entrance of the supposed invincible one, the candidate for a third term.

Of Senator La Follette's ambition it may at least be said that it is not so insatiable that two terms in the Presidency would fail utterly to dull the appetite for more. He is a fighter who takes his punishment without shrieking "ford" and "fraud" whenever a blow is dealt him. He was also

a pioneer Progressive when the colonel was still puzzled to know what it all meant.

Mr. La Follette cannot be bluffed out of the way, nor elbowed out of the way, nor kicked out of the way. He is dead game under conditions which the most valiant of colonels never encountered, and that is why the La Follette candidacy is picking itself out of the dust and beginning to touch the great heart of the West.—Springfield Republican.

## Good for Centerville.

By the handsome vote of 129 to 10 Centerville voters last Saturday voted to issue the sum of \$22,000 for a new grammar school building. Niles set Centerville a good pace but Centerville came back with a little bigger and more nearly unanimous vote. The people of Centerville are to be congratulated and with two such modern school buildings as are soon to go up in the township, a new era in school affairs will be inaugurated. Let the good work go on.

The editor of The Register says he is in favor of regulation instead of annihilation. "No-license" is regulation—that is, regulation of the liquor traffic. It does not mean prohibition but on the other hand positively permits the delivery of liquor to the permanent residence of people. The difference between The Register and that of the Local Option people is that he stands for the regulation of saloons while they stand for the regulation of the liquor traffic.

## MRS. W. B. MORGAN TO TAKE PART IN PRIVATE PLAYLET

On Friday evening, May 10, in Unity hall, corner of 14th and Castro streets, the dramatic section of the Oakland Club under the direction of Mile Anais Moliere will stage a musical pantomime "Bohemia." The cast will include forty ladies, most of whom have appeared in other little playlets put on successfully by Mile. Moliere who has large classes on both sides of the bay. Mrs. W. B. Morgan will take the part of an artist's model. Some of the cast are Mrs. Leon Hall, Mrs. A. L. Frick, Madame Haneberg, Mrs. E. L. Bartholomew, Mrs. John Ronald, Mrs. C. J. Bruguiere, Mme. Aurora Thompson, Mrs. J. H. Boyer, Mrs. R. M. Porter.

## Alvarado

Mrs. Mc Carty who is at the Fabiola Hospital is reported as improving.

Mrs. Ralph entertained the Butt-In Club on Thursday. A very pleasant afternoon was enjoyed.

Mrs. E. L. Farley has been visiting in San Jose for a few days.

Mr. J. R. Alguire has been on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Edwards entertained relatives from the City on Sunday.

Mrs. Ed Foley came home on Wednesday after a few days' visit in San Francisco.

O. J. Emery of Los Gatos was a visitor in town on Thursday.

Mrs. O. Emery and daughter accompanied by Mrs. Buchanan were guests of friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Winegar of San Francisco visited with Mrs. Joyce on Wednesday.

The Reading Circle met with Mrs. Beebe on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Emery and family will move to Niles the first of the week.

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda.  
In the matter of the estate of Mary Fraser, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned executor of the last will and testament of Mary Fraser, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice to the said executor at the office of John G. Mattos Jr., in Centerville, Alameda County, California, which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with said Estate of Mary Fraser, deceased.

MANUEL F. SILVA, executor of the last will and testament of Mary Fraser, deceased.  
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Herbert M. Barry, Executor, and Lizzie A. Barry, Executrix, of the Last Will and Testament of William Barry, also known as Wm. Barry, and as W. Barry deceased.  
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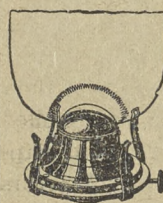
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H. H. WIKOFF  
Field Secretary Congregational Church Building Society,  
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The Snow cottage occupied by John Eadian caught fire last Tuesday night at about nine o'clock. The alarm was turned in by Leland Wales and Jerry Collins. The Newark fire department under the lead of Fire Chief S. Ruschin quickly responded and had the blaze out in short order. Mr. Snow arrived on the scene in time to donate \$10 to the fire department for their prompt services. Very little damage was done.

S. A. D. Buchanan made a trip to the city Wednesday.

Roland Metcalf of Oakville, Napa county, spent a few days this week with his brother at Newark.

The dance given by the baseball club in Newark pavilion last Saturday evening was a very successful affair. A large crowd, representative of most of the neighboring towns, was present. The music furnished by McNamara's orchestra was excellent. Besides being a financial success, the dance was a pleasant social affair.

Mrs. H. Dunlap of San Francisco has been visiting in Newark with her sister, Mrs. H. A. Snow.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Piatt visited in Oakland the week-end.

Miss Mila Dupler and Miss Dorothy Hafner spent Monday in San Jose.

Miss Edna Long of San Jose returned to her home Wednesday after a few days visit with her sister, Mrs. J. B. Chamberlain.

J. O. Weimer, of San Francisco, formerly of Newark, spent Friday and Saturday of last week calling on friends in town. Mr. Weimer leaves next Tuesday for an extended trip to South America.

A surprise birthday party was given to Mr. James Stinehoff and his mother, Mrs. Alice Watkins, at the home of Mr. Stinehoff Thursday evening by a number of friends. A very pleasant time was had.

Mrs. J. H. McCracken, mother of Mrs. S. F. Brown, passed away in Oakland Tuesday. The funeral took place yesterday in Oakland.

Mrs. John Miller of Eureka arrived in Newark last Saturday. Mr. Miller has been in town for some time and has bought property. Mr. and Mrs. Miller are expected to make Newark their permanent home.

Miss Josephine Brown came to Newark this week from San Francisco. She will stay on Mr. Van Horn's place out of town.

Mr. Otto Andrees and Mr. Hirsch of San Francisco spent Sunday in Newark.

Mrs. N. H. Maffey has returned to her home from the Alameda sanitarium.

## Decoto

John Peterson left this week for a visit to his old home in Denmark. He will be gone several months.

Mrs. J. B. Haines of Sutter Creek visited with the family of Mrs. C. L. Haines this week.

George Sandholdt of Gilroy is the guest of Mrs. S. C. Anderson.

Miss May Hawley of Berryessa was the guest Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Meyers.

P. S. Johnson left this week to take the agency at Elmira. Before assuming his duties there he will spend a week with his family at Felton. Mr. Johnson has made many friends during his stay here.

Mrs. Stoppel of Sacramento is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. Anderson.

Elsie, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Borghi, died Thursday. The funeral will be held Saturday morning at Centerville.

The market for green peas at Los Angeles has been very good this week and quite a number of growers at Decoto have been shipping to the Southern city and are realizing good prices for their product.

Quite a number of our local growers have been selling tomato plants to outside growers during the past week.

## Centerville

Mrs. E. Hawley entertained the Union Five Hundred Club at a pleasant meeting on Monday afternoon.

The Bridge Club held its regular meeting on Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Bunting. After the enjoyment of a fine luncheon, cards followed until four o'clock, Miss Mary Norris making the highest score for the afternoon. Mrs. J. Blacow was Mrs. Bunting's guest for the day.

The Royal Arch held its regular meeting this week.

John Norris, the S. P. agent, is attending the Native Sons Grand Parlor session this week in Fresno.

John Williams an old and respected pioneer of this section died at his home on Tuesday and the funeral was held on Thursday. A large number of old friends followed the remains to their final resting place in the Catholic cemetery.

Henry Crosby and wife were in town on Tuesday spending the day with old friends.

The Independents of San Jose will play the Centerville team next Sunday.

The Centerville team carried off the honors on Sunday last when they crossed bats with the Wigwags of San Francisco. The score stood 20 to 0 in Centerville's favor.

O. N. Hirsch is now stocking his store and will open the first of the month.

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TIME TABLE—NILES

Westward	Eastward
No. 7.....8:55 a. m.	No. 2.....10:29 a. m.
No. 1.....7:16 p. m.	No. 4.....10:21 p. m.
No. 3.....8:55 a. m.	No. 8.....6:31 p. m.

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### S. P. R. R. TIME TABLE

FROM SAN FRANCISCO

Arrive Niles	Train	Leave Niles	Train
3.31 a.m.	Newspaper Train.	5.45 a.m.	San Jose
5.20	Milk Train.	6.57	Livermore
8.15	San Jose.	7.47	San Jose
8.55	Sacramento	1.00 p.m.	San Jose
10.28	Sacramento	1.31	Stockton
2.30 p.m.	San Jose	3.00	Sacramento
2.52	Milk Train	5.13	San Jose
4.08	San Jose	6.13	Livermore
5.13	Stockton	7.00	Stockton
6.13	Livermore	8.09	San Jose
7.00	Stockton		
8.09	San Jose		
TO SAN FRANCISCO			
Leave Niles	Train	Arrive Niles	Train
5.45 a.m.	San Jose	8.17 a.m.	San Jose
6.57	Livermore	10.30	San Jose
7.47	San Jose	2.33 p.m.	San Jose
1.00 p.m.	San Jose	4.10	San Jose
1.31	Stockton	7.05	San Jose
3.00	Sacramento	8.12	San Jose
5.13	San Jose		
6.13	Sacramento		
7.00	Fresno		
SAN JOSE BRANCH			
(Via Irvington)			
Leave Niles	Train	Arrive Niles	Train
8.17 a.m.	San Jose	5.45 a.m.	San Jose
10.30	San Jose	7.45	San Jose
2.33 p.m.	San Jose	1.00 p.m.	San Jose
4.10	San Jose	5.03	San Jose
7.05	San Jose	6.00	San Jose
8.12	San Jose		

### NILES-REDWOOD CITY

To San Francisco

Leave Niles	Train	Arrive Niles	Train
8.17 a.m.	San Jose	5.45 a.m.	San Jose
10.30	San Jose	7.45	San Jose
2.33 p.m.	San Jose	1.00 p.m.	San Jose
4.10	San Jose	5.03	San Jose
7.05	San Jose	6.00	San Jose
8.12	San Jose		

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## Irvington

Dave Reynolds and Henry Weston returned this week from a ten days trip to Ravenswood in Lassen county where they are interested in the newly opened farming lands. They were accompanied by Robert Blacow and Al Casterson of Pleasanton. They bring back very favorable reports of that section and say that they believe it is bound to become one of the favored farming sections of the State.

The banquet given by the friends and supporters of S. B. Vandervoort last Sunday evening was a very numerous attended affair, some 250 people participating in the affair. A fine supper was served consisting of chicken galore, a fine combination salad of shrimp, lobsters, crabs and all the delicacies of the season. Speeches were made by S. B. Vandervoort, the victor at the recent school election as well as by his opponent, Dr. J. H. Durham who made one of his usually witty and appropriate speeches. The best of good humor prevailed and a very pleasant evening was spent.

The Irvington Academy boys returned from their camping trip Monday after a pleasant outing of a week spent in the Smith Creek and Mt. Hamilton region. The boys were in charge of Lieutenant Knowles and were given a taste of real military camp life. The boys are enthusiastic in their praise of Lieutenant Knowles who seems to be particularly fond of them and takes a great interest in their welfare.

Surveyor S. R. Van Wyck of County Surveyor Haviland's office spent Tuesday in Irvington completing his survey to ascertain the

necessary signers to the saloon license of Ed. Roderick. Supervisor Murphy was also in town looking into the matter of the two contested licenses.

A delegation of thirty-five young people of Irvington attended the baseball dance at Newark Saturday evening and report a very enjoyable affair.

Miss Laura Stribling was a visitor in the city Monday.

Mrs. Roderick and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nelson motored to San Jose Tuesday.

The Wild West show in San Jose last Monday attracted quite a number of Irvington people.

W. W. Hirsch has just finished putting down a ten-inch well for Joe Holdener on the Brewer ranch. An irrigating plant will be installed in raising alfalfa. Mr. Hirsch is also putting down a well on the old Charley Bond place for E. H. Hirsch.

Joshua Chadbourne of the Irvington garage has just placed orders for three five passenger, 40 horsepower Mitchell cars and one four passenger car. They are of the torpedo body type, half underslung and are among the very latest type. Mr. Chadbourne enjoys the confidence of automobilists in this township to a great degree, and the placing of these orders is an indication of that confidence. No man in the township understands the business better or takes greater pains to see that his patrons get the right kind of treatment.

Mr. Chadbourne has recently placed an order for a new automobile for E. H. Hirsch which promises to be a dandy. It will be a 66 horsepower, 6 cylinder Mitchell roadster, with a wide wheel base. It will be a self starter and electric lighted. Now that Sunday closing has been realized Mr. Hirsch is looking anxiously forward to the arrival of his splendid car.

The Ladies Aid Society of Irvington is planning to hold the annual dinner for cleaning up the cemetery, in the library rooms on Wednesday, May 8. It is hoped the liberal patronage of last year will be repeated.

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## REACTIONARY VICTORIES SAYS LA FOLLETTE

The old adage, "He who fights and runs away will live to fight another day" is just now being forcibly exemplified in California. Battling Bob is truly a Nemesis.

"It is a significant fact," said Senator LaFollette, in commenting on the results of the primaries in Oregon and Nebraska, "that in practically every State where Colonel Roosevelt was the choice for Presidential candidate, reactionary candidates for other important offices were victorious with him over their known Progressive opponents.

Some Striking Statements. "In Oregon, where Roosevelt was successful, Jonathan Bourne was defeated for the nomination of United States Senator by Ben Selling. The had no more ardent champion than Bourne. So prominent has he been in the Progressive movement, as President of the National Progressive League, that nothing could have obscured the issues of his candidacy. Bourne left the matter wholly in the hands of the people on his past record. Selling, on the other hand, was openly the choice of the corporate interests, led by the stand-pat Portland Oregonian. With the issue so clearly defined, Selling received the nomination for the Senatorship by practically the same plurality as that given Roosevelt.

Same in Nebraska. "In Nebraska the issue was equally well defined. George W. Norris, Progressive insurgent leader of the House and one of the pioneers in the movement, was defeated as candidate for United States Senator by Norris Brown, the Taft candidate, although, curiously, Norris himself was

for Roosevelt, Nebraska's choice for President. Here again the results are of the same significance as those in Oregon, Roosevelt receiving the nomination, and the reactionary candidates for other important offices receiving nomination by about the same pluralities.

Same Thing in Illinois. "In Illinois, in the vote that declared the choice for President, Walter Clyde Jones, an out and out Progressive, was defeated for nomination for Governor by Deneen, who was on the Roosevelt ticket. Hugh McGill, one of the most prominent Progressives in the Senate, was decisively beaten for United States Senator by Lawrence Y. Sherman, well known as a reactionary. Another significant fact is that the Illinois State convention, Roosevelt's own convention, subsequently refused to adopt the initiative and referendum planks in its platform and endorsed the administration of President Taft.

"I believe we are rapidly approaching the day when the people of this nation will with clear insight see that true popular government can be established only by discarding at the polls all considerations save the straight issue of principle.

"I find nothing discouraging or disheartening in any of the results. The fight is necessarily a long one. The results show that there are hundreds of thousands with us in this fight. We are progressing steadily and rapidly.

I am anticipating victory in California because I feel they are truly progressive, and that they will not support any candidate for president not fully committed to the principles of the Progressive cause. Roosevelt succeeded in electing his delegates to the Illinois convention and that convention voted down the initiative, referendum and woman suffrage planks, and endorsed the administration of Taft, while loudly cheering Roosevelt."

## Mission San Jose

Mrs. J. Souza returned home from the Sanitarium during the week.

Howard Turner has gone to the logging camps in Plumas County, spent Sunday with the Martins.

Mrs. Rogers and Mrs. Garcia drove to San Jose on Wednesday.

Miss Lucy Rose is home after a pleasant visit with relatives in Pleasanton.

Mr. Sezar is still quite ill.

Mr. Rogers is visiting with his son. The Misses Lebrecht of Oakland were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ehrman over Sunday.

Mrs. Enos and Mrs. Silva spent Tuesday in San Jose.

Mrs. J. P. Rose is ill in O'Connor's Sanitarium in San Jose.

Mr. Somers and family have moved from Alviso.

### NILES CONGREGATIONAL

There will be the regular services in the church on Sunday morning. Preaching by the pastor at 11 A. M. Sabbath school, class in Church History and Bible class at 10 o'clock.

The evening congregation will be addressed by the president of the Alameda County Christian Endeavor Union. He is an excellent speaker and a cordial invitation is extended to all to be present and enjoy this treat. The young people especially are invited.

Prayer service and Teachers' Training class on Thursday evening.

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11 a. m. Public Worship.  
7 p. m. Christian Endeavor.  
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2 p. m. Sunday School.  
Public worship at 7:30.

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of Joe Duarte Sr., deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Administrator of the Estate of Joe Duarte Sr., deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the Estate of the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said Administrator at the office of B. C. Mickle, in the Town of Centerville, County of Alameda, State of California which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with said

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JOE DUARTE JR.  
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Dated, Centerville, March 28th, 1912

## SOCIETY NOTICES

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